MR. K. RAMAIAH (BANGALORE CITY).—

Q.—7. Will the Government be pleased to state:—What is the total number of males, females, boys and girls in the 4 classes of Vaddar Community, *viz.*, (1) Kallu Vaddar, (2) Mannu Vaddar, (3) Sweeping Vaddar, (4) Ploughing Vadder.

2. What is the number of boys amongst them attending schools and the number that were given scholarships?

THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.—

A.—(1) The population of Vaddar Community in the State according to the Census of 1921 is given below:—

(*a*) Males	....	77,763
(*b*) Females	....	73,583
(*c*) Boys } up to 15 years of age		29,981
(*d*) Girls }	....	30,167

Statistics as regards the population of each of the sub-sections of the community are not available.

2. Information as to the number of boys attending school is not available, since for statistical purposes, the pupils of Vaddar Community are included among high caste Hindus. Sixty-eight boys were given scholarships during 1924-25.

MR. SIDDEGOWDA *alias* APPAJIGOWDA (CHANNAPATNA TALUK).—

Q.—8. Will the Government be pleased to state:—

1. What is the amount spent for getting Patta Books printed?

2. What is the number of copies sold every year and the total value realised thereby?

3. Whether it is not possible to give the books free to raiyats?

REVENUE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.—

A.—(1) and (2) Information is not available.

(3) The answer is in the negative.